Kansas Energy Council 2008 Kansas Energy Plan Overview of Recommendations

Chapter 5: Biomass and Biofuels, Sections 5.1 and 5.2

1. Encourage State agencies currently administering biofuel incentives to coordinate an internal program review of existing biofuel incentives and report to Legislative Committees on both the effectiveness and potential problems, inefficiencies.

Chapter 9: Energy Conservation and Efficiency, Section 9.1

1. Monitor the Kansas Corporation Commission's ongoing energy efficiency investigations to determine need for further KEC investigation of rate design and other energy efficiency issues.

Chapter 9: Energy Conservation and Efficiency, Section 9.2

- 1. The State of Kansas should provide \$2 million in annual funding to expand weatherization assistance to low-income households provided through the Kansas Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP).
- The Kansas Housing Resources Corporation (KHRC) should expand existing lowinterest energy efficiency loan program (KEEP) to facilitate adoption of energy conservation improvements by all Kansas homeowners.
- 3. The KCC's Energy Programs Division should develop a program to promote adoption of model energy efficiency codes by local units of government.

Chapter 9: Energy Conservation and Efficiency, Section 9.3

1. The KCC's Energy Programs Division should develop a program to promote adoption of model energy efficiency codes by local units of government. *Note: This recommendation is also listed in Section 9.2.*

Chapter 9: Energy Conservation and Efficiency, Section 9.4

 The Kansas Legislature should adopt legislation requiring all new publicly funded buildings to meet minimum energy efficiency standards, as recommended by the Special Committee on Energy, Natural Resources, and the Environment.

Chapter 12: Energy Education, Section 12.1

1. The State should provide \$30,000 in annual funding to KACEE to support energy conservation education in Kansas public schools (K-12).